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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Art Unit: 3679

Attorney
Docket No.: BWT0061

Applicant: John Derek Guest

Invention: MOLDED PLASTIC
TUBULAR COUPLING

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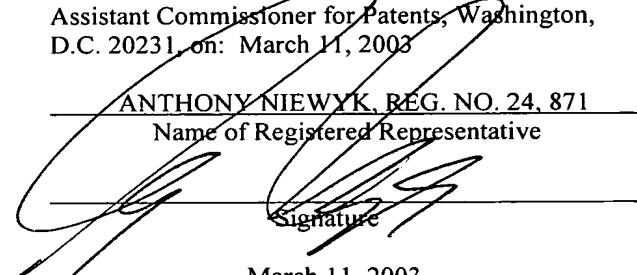
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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 11, 2002, which had a period for
response set to expire on December 11, 2002, which period has been extended by the
enclosed Petition For Extension Of Time to expire on March 11, 2003, Applicant hereby
submits the following amendment:

IN THE TITLE:

Please change the title to "MOLDED PLASTIC TUBULAR COUPLING."

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the first full paragraph on page 4 with the following rewritten
paragraph:

The head 12 of the sleeve provides a radially annular face 15 directed along the sleeve
which forms an end stop to limit insertion of the sleeve 11 into a tube end 16 by engagement
with the end of the tube as shown in Figure 2.